GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1243
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LAND SUBSIDENCE IN COAL MINE AREAS
Bose Shri Subrata

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether large areas of coal mines, particularly in the district of Dhanbad in Jharkhand, have been showing consistent sign of land subsidence;

(b) if so, tihe details thereof including the number of people likely to be affected;

(c) whether Government is contemplating any programme for shifting and rehabilitation of these people; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (DR. DASARI NARAYANA RAO)

(a) to (d): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.